maintained in adequate repair, working order and condition, and, if worn out or damaged, will be replaced by other property, suitable to the business of said Subsidiary; and that none of the rights, franchises or privileges of said Subsidiary, whether now owned or hereafter acquired, will be allowed to lapse or be forfeited so long as the same shall be necessary for the carrying on of the business of said Subsidiary; that said Subsidiary will at all times maintain its corporate existence, and subject to the provisions hereof, will diligently endeavor to maintain, preserve and renew all rights, powers, privileges and franchises owned by it and necessary for carrying on its business as being carried on at the time; that said Subsidiary will at all times use all reasonable diligence to provide service adequate to meet the reasonable requirements of the communities in which it may be operating; that said Subsidiary will at no time commit or suffer to be committed, any waste upon its property, or do, or permit to be done, about, in or upon its property anything that may tend to impair the value thereof.

## ARTICLE VI.

## MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS.

Section 1. All of the covenants, stipulations, promises and agreements in this Supplemental Indenture contained by or on behalf of the Company shall bind its successors and assigns, whether so expressed or not.

Section 2. This Supplemental Indenture may be executed in several counterparts, each of which when so executed shall be deemed to be an original; but such counterparts shall together constitute but one and the same instrument.

Section 3. This Supplemental Indenture is dated, for convenience, May 1, 1952, although executed and delivered